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For: PORTABLE CONCRETE PLANT

AMENDMENT

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of August 29, 2002, amendment to the above-identified patent application is requested.

In the Claims

Please substitute the following amended claim for the respectively referenced claim currently on record:

32. [AMENDED ONCE] The slurry mixer of claim 31, wherein the upper mixing members and the lower mixing members engage each other as they move past each other to remove slurry therefrom.

Please insert new claims 46-55 as follows:

46. [NEW] A slurry mixer for preparing slurry, the slurry mixer comprising:
a side wall with a lower end and an upper end;